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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PS – PR&RD – Allegation of not to pay proper attention before the 2nd QC InspectionTeam on 19.05.2020 in works "Construction of CC Road from Konagi Koteswara Raohouse to Nukala Venkata Rao house, Turlapati Hanumantharao house to Polla Mahalakshmi house, Popuri Chandraiah house to Thotla Guravaiah house, SK Madharbehouse to SK Bademiya house in Turlapadu Village of Chandharlapadu Mandal, KrishnaDistrict and other (8)eight works in Turlapadu Village - CC.No.1285/2022 inWP.No.21236/2021 which leads to huge embarrassment to the Government - Legal complications - Disciplinary proceedings against Sri B.Raja Rao, Executive Engineer, PRI Division, Vijayawada (Now retired) & 2 others –Common proceedings under Rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services(CC&A)Rules, 1991 –Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 535 **Dated: 29-06-2022.**

Read the following:-

1) First QC Inspection Report dated:22.02.2018.
2) Second QC Inspection Report dated:19.05.2020.
3) Orders of High Court of A.P, dated 05.10.2021 in WP.No.21236 of 2021 filed by Sri Dasara venkateswara Rao R/o Thurlapadu, Krishna District.
4) Notice in Contempt Case No.1285/2022 filed by Sri Dasara venkateswara Rao R/o Thurlapadu, Krishna District.

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ORDER:

Whereas, the Government Servants specified below are jointly concerned in a disciplinary case regarding allegation of not to pay proper attention before the 2nd QC Inspection Team conducted on 19.05.2020 in work "Construction of CC Road from Konagi Koteswara Rao house to Nukala Venkata Rao house, Turlapati Hanumantharao house toPolla Mahalakshmi house, Popuri Chandraiah house to Thotla Guravaiah house, SKMadharbe house to SK Bademiya house in Turlapadu Village of Chandharlapadu Mandal,Krishna District and other (8)eight works in Turlapadu Village, which leads to fileCC.No.1285/2022 in WP.No.21236/2021 and huge embarrassment to the Government. .. As per quality control norms and procedures the1st Quality Control Inspection was conducted on 22.02.2018 in the above works and proposed no recovery. The 1st QC report was intimated to the concerned EE, DEE& AEE. Subsequently, as per the orders, 2nd QC inspection team has attended the above works on 19.05.2020 and conducted inspection. The first QC Team has proposed no recovery against the above works, whereas, the 2nd QC Team Report has proposed for recovery of Rs.65.89 Lakhs of works. On close observation, it is noticed that, when 2nd QC Team inspected the work, the concerned EE, DEE &AEE have not brought the 1st QC report to the notice of 2nd QC Team at the time of inspection to facilitate them to understand the said report and its findings. Despite having information on hand, the EE, DEE&AEE have failed to bring to the notice of2nd QC Team about the 1st QC Report. Thereby, unnecessary complications and legal issues have been arose and huge embarrassment was created in dealing with legal issues. The concerned EE, DEE & AEE specified below should have taken proper care at the time of visit of 2nd Inspection Team and failed to bring the connected records including QC reports to the concerned authorities. This has caused huge embarrassment to the Government before the Hon'ble High Court of A.P.1.

P.T.O

1. Sri B. Raja Rao,Executive Engineer(now retired), PRI Division, Vijayawada.
2. Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, DEE,PRI Sub-Division, Nandhigama, Krishna District.
3. Sri P. Ramesh Babu, AEE. Chandharlapadu Mandal, Krishna District

2. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rules (1) and (2) of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991,the disciplinary authority i.e., Government hereby direct:-

i. that disciplinary action against the said Government Servants shall be taken in the common proceedings;
ii. that Government shall function as the disciplinary authority for the purpose of the common proceedings and shall be competent to impose any penalty; and
iii. that the procedure prescribed in Rules 20 & 21 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services(Classification, Control & Appeal)Rules, 1991 shall be followed in the said proceedings.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNEMNT

To
1. Sri B. Raja RaO, , Executive Engineer(now retired), PRI Division, Vijayawada.
2. Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, DEE,PRI Sub-Division, Nandhigama, Krishna District.
3. Sri P. Ramesh Babu, AEE.Chandharlapadu Mandal, Krishna District
(1 to 3 through ENC, PR, Vijayawada)
4.The Engineer-in-Chief, PR, Vijayawada (in duplicate with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledgement copy)

Copy to:
The PR&RD(Estt.I) Department.
Sf/Sc.

// FORWARDED: BY: ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER